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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated March 18, 2002, applicants hereby elect Group I, claims 1-11, for examination at this time.

Consideration of the elected claims is now requested.

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Respectfully submitted,

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